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### **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.
- Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.
  - [X]The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims	Extra							
	As	Previously			Claims				Additional
	Amended	Pai	Paid For		Present		Rate		Claims Fee
Total Claims:	8	-	20	=	0	х	\$50.00	=	\$0.00

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Extension for 1	Extension for response filed within the fourth month: \$1,64							_	\$0.00
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Statutory Disc	laimer Fe	ee undei	r 37 C.F.	R. 1.20(d)	):		\$130.00		\$0.00
J Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): \$130.00 CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:									\$0.00
Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):							of above):	_	\$0.00
Extension Fees Previously Paid:						ısly Paid:	_	\$0.00	
TOTAL FEE:								\$0.00	

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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# AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action June 2, 2008, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: